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BEFORE THE ARIZONA CORPORATION COMMISSION

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IN THE MATTER OF THE APPLICATION OF
 BACA FLOAT WATER COMPANY FOR AN
 EXTENSION OF ITS EXISTING CERTIFICATE
 OF CONVENIENCE AND NECESSITY FOR
 WATER SERVICE.

DOCKET NO. WS-01678A-07-0116

DECISION NO. 71170

ORDER EXTENDING TIME
DEADLINE CONTAINED IN
DECISION NO. 69949

Open Meeting
 June 23 and 24, 2009
 Phoenix, Arizona

BY THE COMMISSION:

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Having considered the entire record herein and being fully advised in the premises, the
 Arizona Corporation Commission ("Commission") finds, concludes, and orders that:

FINDINGS OF FACT

1. In Decision No. 69949 (October 30, 2007), the Commission approved the application
 of Baca Float Water Company ("Baca Float" or "Company") for an extension of its existing
 Certificate of Convenience and Necessity for water service.

2. As part of Decision No. 69949, the Commission ordered that "... Baca Float Water
 Company shall file a rate case with the Commission by May 31, 2009, using a 2008 Test Year."

3. On April 15, 2009, Baca Float docketed a request for extension of time, until July 31,
 2009, to file the required rate application. In its application, the Company seeks the extension
 because the Company's Certified Public Accountant ("CPA"), who it claims is a critical component
 to compiling the rate application, has been involved in tax preparation surrounding the April 15 tax
 season and has not had time to devote the necessary time to prepare the rate application.

4. On May 22, 2009, the Commission's Utilities Division ("Staff") filed a Memorandum

1 in response to the requested extension, and does not object to Baca Float's two month extension
2 request.

3 5. Staff had discussions with the Company's counsel and confirmed the sole reason for
4 the request was the availability of the CPA to prepare the rate application

5 6. Staff recommends that the due date for filing the rate application be extended to July
6 31, 2009, with a 2008 test year.

7 7. On May 22, 2009, the parties participated in a teleconference with the Hearing
8 Division, and confirmed their recommendations.

9 8. The Company filed a timely and reasonable request. Under the circumstances, the
10 Company's request for a relatively short extension will not prejudice any party. The Company's
11 CPA's involvement in the preparation of the application should result in a more thorough and
12 accurate application, and the request is in the public interest.

13 CONCLUSIONS OF LAW

14 1. Baca Float is a public service corporation within the meaning of Article XV of the
15 Arizona Constitution and A.R.S. §§ 40-281 and 40-282.

16 2. The Commission has jurisdiction over Baca Float and the subject matter of the
17 request.

18 3. The requested extension of time is reasonable and should be approved.

19 ORDER

20 IT IS THEREFORE ORDERED that the deadline for Baca Float Water Company to file a rate
21 case, as required in Decision No. 69949, is extended to July 31, 2009, utilizing a test year end of
22 December 31, 2008.

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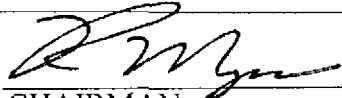
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1 IT IS FURTHER ORDERED that all other provisions of Decision No. 69949 shall remain in
2 effect.

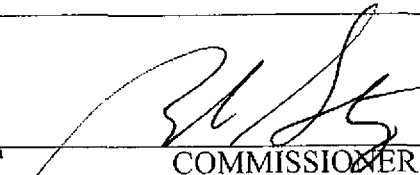
3 IT IS FURTHER ORDERED that this Decision shall become effective immediately.

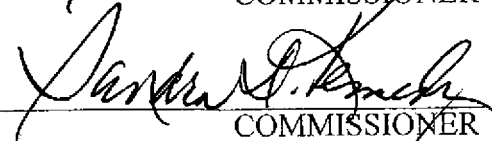
4 BY ORDER OF THE ARIZONA CORPORATION COMMISSION.

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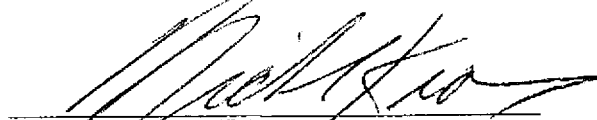

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10 IN WITNESS WHEREOF, I, MICHAEL P. KEARNS, Interim
11 Executive Director of the Arizona Corporation Commission,
12 have hereunto set my hand and caused the official seal of the
13 Commission to be affixed at the Capitol, in the City of Phoenix,
14 this 30th day of JUNE, 2009.

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16 MICHAEL P. KEARNS
17 INTERIM EXECUTIVE DIRECTOR

18 DISSENT _____

19 DISSENT _____

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